

Mayor Xavier M. Garcia



ZAVIER M. GARCIA MAYOR

Mayor Xavier Garcia (36) - a native-born resident of Miami-Dade, moved to Miami Springs in 2001. As the son of a Vietnam veteran, Mayor Garcia learned at a very young age that one of the highest callings in life was that of service. Mayor Garcia is married to Ilana (a lifelong Miami Springs resident and Registered Nurse at Baptist Hospital) and has three children — Xavier Jr., 11; Alexa-Renee, 7; and Addison-Lee, 1 —and their chocolate lab, Max, 11. Mayor Garcia runs his own advertising and marketing firm, ZMG Media, Inc. Before being elected Mayor in April 2011, Mayor Garcia served as a Miami Springs councilman from 2005-09. Mayor Garcia also served on the city's Code Enforcement Board and was the community liaison for our State Senator, Representative and County Commissioner. As of today Mayor Garcia continues to be involved in many community activities and organizations such as the Neighborhood Relations Committee for Miami International Airport through Commissioner Rebecca Sosa, community liaison for both State Senator Rene Garcia and State Representative Erik Fresen, director on the Board of Faith's Place Autism Outreach, member of the Miami Springs-Virginia Gardens Optimist Club, member of the Miami Springs Rotary Club and an active parishioner of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church.

The entire Garcia Family is also active in many activities in and around Miami Springs. Ilana has served as a volunteer coach for Miami Springs Optimist Soccer (Alexa-Renee's favorite sport next to dancing at Sturlight Dance Studio on Westward Drive) and continues to volunteer with many local charities and non-profits.

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